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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2015 OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to Commission file number: 001-14901

CONSOL Energy Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 51-0337383
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer x Accelerated filer o Non-accelerated filer o Smaller Reporting Company o Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes o No x

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Class Shares outstanding as of April 17, 2015

228,822,133

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GLOSSARY OF CERTAIN OIL AND GAS MEASUREMENT TERMS

The following are abbreviations of certain measurement terms commonly used in the oil and gas industry and included within this Form 10-Q:

- Bbl One stock tank barrel, or 42 U.S. gallons liquid volume, used in reference to oil or other liquid hydrocarbons.
- Bcf One billion cubic feet of natural gas.
- Bcfe One billion cubic feet of natural gas equivalents, with one barrel of oil being equivalent to 6,000 cubic feet of gas.
- Btu One British thermal unit.
- Mbbls One thousand barrels of oil or other liquid hydrocarbons.
- Mcf One thousand cubic feet of natural gas.
- Mcfe One thousand cubic feet of natural gas equivalents, with one barrel of oil being equivalent to 6,000 cubic feet of gas.
- MMbtu One million British Thermal units.

MMcfe - One million cubic feet of natural gas equivalents, with one barrel of oil being equivalent to 6,000 cubic feet of gas.

NGL - Natural gas liquids.

Tcfe - One trillion cubic feet of natural gas equivalents, with one barrel of oil being equivalent to 6,000 cubic feet of gas.

PART I: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CONSOL ENERGY INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME		
(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)	Three Month	ns Ended
(Unaudited)	March 31,	
Revenues and Other Income:	2015	2014
Natural Gas, NGLs and Oil Sales	\$254,580	\$266,298
Unrealized Gain on Commodity Derivative Instruments	60,004	_
Coal Sales	496,666	534,681
Other Outside Sales	13,130	69,287
Gas Royalty Interests and Purchased Gas Sales	18,456	30,219
Freight-Outside Coal	6,525	9,945
Miscellaneous Other Income	38,066	55,054
Gain on Sale of Assets	2,165	3,669
Total Revenue and Other Income	889,592	969,153
Costs and Expenses:		
Exploration and Production Costs		
Lease Operating Expense	31,612	29,243
Transportation, Gathering and Compression	78,744	53,782
Production, Ad Valorem, and Other Fees	9,192	10,187
Direct Administrative and Selling	14,667	11,653
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization	85,104	71,729
Exploration and Production Related Other Costs	2,040	3,099
Production Royalty Interests and Purchased Gas Costs	16,127	26,096
Other Corporate Expenses	19,096	26,164
General and Administrative	15,142	17,364
Total Exploration and Production Costs	271,724	249,317
Coal Costs		
Operating and Other Costs	311,583	333,810
Royalties and Production Taxes	22,317	26,488
Direct Administrative and Selling	8,983	11,542
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization	65,483	56,866
Freight Expense	6,525	9,945
General and Administrative Costs	7,408	12,709
Other Corporate Expenses	8,895	19,295
Total Coal Costs	431,194	470,655
Other Costs		
Miscellaneous Operating Expense	10,384	67,340
General and Administrative Costs	_	210
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization	7	521
Loss on Debt Extinguishment	67,734	
Interest Expense	55,122	50,931
Total Other Costs	133,247	119,002
Total Costs And Expenses	836,165	838,974
Earnings Before Income Tax	53,427	130,179
Income Taxes	(25,603) 8,489
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Income From Continuing Operations	79,030	121,690	
Loss From Discontinued Operations, net	_	(5,687)
Net Income	\$79,030	\$116,003	
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.			

CONSOL ENERGY INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (CONTINUED)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended		
(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)	March 31,		
(Unaudited)	2015	2014	
Earnings Per Share			
Basic			
Income from Continuing Operations	\$0.34	\$0.53	
Loss from Discontinued Operations	_	(0.02)
Total Basic Earnings Per Share	\$0.34	\$0.51	
Dilutive			
Income from Continuing Operations	\$0.34	\$0.53	
Loss from Discontinued Operations	_	(0.03)
Total Dilutive Earnings Per Share	\$0.34	\$0.50	
Dividends Paid Per Share	\$0.0625	\$0.0625	
CONSOL ENERGY INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES			
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME			
	Three Months Ended		
(Dollars in thousands)	March 31	,	

2015

2014